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50TH ANNIVERSARY WORK

EVERY ONE BUSY ON WORK THAT MUST BE DONE

Health Department of State Has Made Complete Plans for Hospitals and Care of Health.

Everybody is busy in and near Gettysburg, making ready for the coming celebration. The town is full of strangers, many of them engaged at the various kinds of work going on. The tent city is being rapidly built. Kitchens going up, tents being erected, water mains laid, wires being strung on poles. Before many days the U. S. Camp will be ready with water, light, and every convenience.

The U. S. Camp is one that no one need hesitate to go to, but consider himself fortunate to get in. The tents are being equipped with board floors and will be made comfortable in every way for the occupants. The ration to be had at the Kitchens will be the best that Uncle Sam has to offer. The water of Gettysburg has been proved to be of the purest type, again and again. Electric lights will make the camp safe to travel in at night and guards will make it safe otherwise.

On last Saturday the Third Battalion, companies I, K, L, and M, of the Fifth U. S. Infantry under Major Lasseigne arrived coming here from Plattsburg, New York. The battalion went immediately into camp along Long Lane and will be here over three months, on guard duty about camp and supplies. They brought a full camp equipment of wagons, horses, mules, cooks, oakers and laborers.

The Reading Railroad has a big gang of men at work as also the Western Maryland, putting down sidings and making preparation to handle the traffic of the occasion.

The Pennsylvania Commission are preparing an identification card for every state veteran, giving name, address, name of Post or Camp or person to be communicated with in case of sickness or accidents. All other States have been asked to have similar cards for their veterans.

Map of camp has been completed and are being circulated to Grand Army Post and Confederate Camps.

The National Park Commission has prepared a map containing an excellent regulation for all wheeled conveyances over the battlefield from June 25 to July 5 inclusive, a route that will avoid collisions, every one moving in the same direction.

Massachusetts last week passed finally an appropriation bill of \$30,000 for participation in the celebration.

Every day adds to the number of coming visitors who are engaging quarters and neighboring towns are busy making room for visitors who will make the trip here each day by auto. Governor Eberhardt, of Minnesota, and staff have engaged rooms at Colonial Hotel, York. Chamberburg, Hanover and Carlisle hotels are said to have their space largely taken.

The last meeting of the Pa. Commission is scheduled for next week, May 15 and 16, and an attempt to get the number of veterans from each State so that camp reservations can be made.

The Gettysburg Town Council will conclude at their meeting on May 13 the final arrangements about placing tarps on streets of the town so that the dust peril can be avoided and also expect to pass a law ordinance to prevent the stranger from carrying away the harvest that belongs to our own people.

Health and Hospital Arrangements.

Harrisburg, Pa., May 3rd.—Arrangements have been completed for the establishment of an emergency hospital of 175 beds to care for the thousands of visitors from every State in the Union, who will attend the fiftieth anniversary celebration of the Battle of Gettysburg. The hospital will be conducted by the State Department of Health and will be under the personal supervision of Commissioner Samuel G. Dixon.

The State G. A. R. encampment begins on June 25th but the greatest crowds are expected on July 2, 3 and 4. It is estimated that there will be 55,000 visitors in addition to the 22,000 Union and Confederate veterans who will be present.

Governor Tener has ordered the Commissioner of Health to take all necessary steps to safeguard the health and add to the comfort of the visitors.

The emergency hospital will consist of 20 hospital tents and accommodations for the 15 doctors and 18 nurses who will be on duty. It will have a commissary department, a fully equipped operating tent with a consulting surgeon constantly at hand. There will be in addition two hospital cars in order that serious or operative cases may be transferred daily to the hospitals in nearby cities.

In addition to the main hospitals there will be two dispensaries with six beds each with a nurse and physician in charge.

One of these will be located at the railroad station to care for any visitors who may be ill upon arrival and one located near the great assembly

tent where the meetings are to be held. In addition to these dispensaries there will be six emergency stations at points where the crowds collect in order that first aid may be administered promptly. There will be auto ambulance service to convey patients to the main hospital from the dispensaries and emergency stations.

Nine comfort stations will be erected at convenient points and these will be in charge of male and female attendants.

The regular water supply of Gettysburg will be augmented by specially installed pumps to insure an adequate quantity. Flowing fountains will be installed about the city and grounds. All the wells in Gettysburg and vicinity have been examined and analysis made of the water and those which are not safe will be closed.

The dispensaries, emergency stations and public comfort stations will all be connected by telephone with the State Department of Health Headquarters at the general hospital.

Cyclone Hits York Springs.

Part of York Springs experienced a miniature cyclone on Sunday morning April 27, about 11 o'clock, says the "Comet," with the result that several small buildings were blown over or unroofed, trees uprooted and window panes smashed.

The storm came up from the south and the wind blew at a terrific rate for a few minutes and then settled down to a steady downpour of rain accompanied by thunder and lightning. One awning at the Brown house tented by Mrs. Sarah Gardner, was blown off and scattered like so much paper. Several of the window panes were also blown in. One of the chimneys on the Lutheran parsonage was blown off and a window light blown in. One of the large trees in front of John I. Sadler's home was uprooted and J. T. Myers' woodhouse was blown out in the alley.

The hurricane swept over a path about 150 feet wide. At the home of W. S. Hendricks a chicken house roof 12 x 16 was carried over a hundred feet and deposited in the top of one of J. T. Myers' apple trees. The force of the wind was so great that the substantial brick houses of George E. Deatrick and John R. Spangler rocked on their foundations and the families were preparing to leave the buildings if the wind had not abated.

TOWN HOUSE-CLEANING DAY

For Sake of Town's Health and To Boost the Town.

To-morrow—Thursday—May 8, has been named as municipal House-Cleaning Day for Gettysburg. It is more important to clean the town thoroughly this year than ever before because result of that work will be noted by more eyes than have ever gathered in the place during any previous year, because of the welfare of the mass of human beings that will congregate in the town during the next two months and because of those who are at home and will have to stay here after the crowd has gone.

There are accumulations in cellars, in corners, in back yards and out-of-the-way places that need removal and cleaning and the letting in of fresh air and light. There are pits and pools that need attention, places where mosquitoes breed and they should be cleaned and wherever possible put out of existence.

The town is offering to do its part in this work. Thursday is the day when the borough will furnish teams for the hauling away of all rubbish and debris placed in alleys, in boxes, and barrels and if it takes more than a day the service will be continued until the work is done. Carefully observe the requirements of the borough to be in the display advertisement in another column.

There are the best of reasons to do this cleaning thoroughly. It is done for the good of yourself, your neighbor, and your town. Gettysburg is going to get the best advertisement in the way of crowds that it has ever had. These crowds are going to carry away some impressions of the town itself, and it is most important that such impressions and the recollections carried along shall be favorable in every way to the town. Ever since this celebration was conceived the Compiler has been urging improvements, cement pavements and other betterments to make ready for the event and to give the town the best advertisement possible. Much has been done but there remains much that could be done. Every old pavement in the town that can be taken up and a concrete one put down in its place should be given attention in the next six weeks. It would mean an inestimable practical business asset of the town for the thousands of visitors to leave with the impression fixed in their minds that they do enjoy going to Gettysburg, because the pavements are good and easy to travel. Again we urge that as much concrete pavement should go down in the next six weeks as can be put down by the facilities at hand. Some pavements on our main streets positively need attention before the crowd comes. Could not a Town Father make an inventory of such pavements and personally see their owners and urge concrete pavements. That course would do more good than all the legal notices that could be sent.

Not only clean up the town, but brighten it up. This will stimulate public spirit and will mean progress and prosperity to the visitors. The work of preparing for the great celebration both from the State and National point of view has been in the hands of those who do not live here and if there is any slip in the plans of

men, we advise with all earnestness at our command, let our citizens prepare with a clean up and a brighten up so that any slips in the plans do not look as though they belonged to the town. Suggestions for brightening up the town will be found in an advertisement in another column. Let everyone of us get busy for Thursday and keep busy until the crowds begin to appear.

Here are ten good town commandments issued by the Chicago Woman's Aid Association:

1. Thou shalt honor thy city and keep its laws.
2. Remember thy cleaning day and keep it wholly.
3. Thou shalt live and cherish thy children and provide for them decent homes and play-grounds.
4. Thou shalt not keep thy windows closed day or night.
5. Thou shalt keep in order thy alley, thy back-yard, thy hall and stairway.
6. Thou shalt not kill thy neighbors' bodies with poisonous air, nor their souls with bad companions.
7. Thou shalt not let the wicked fly live.
8. Thou shalt not steal thy children's right to happiness from them.
9. Thou shalt bear witness against thy neighbor's rubbish heap.
10. Thou shalt cover all the fresh air and sunlight thou canst obtain.

Wind Up of April Court.

The regular April court hardly got started before it ran to a finish. The criminal cases were few. There were three civil cases on trial list. The first was that of J. E. C. Miller vs. J. McC. Gilbert, and after a jury was drawn, a settlement was reached. The other two were between First National Bank of York vs. Eliza J. Warren and while continued it is said that practically a settlement has been reached. There was more work for court with divorces than any other business.

Clayton D. Bankert vs. Elva Bankert, the report of commissioner was heard and divorce had been refused against in view of some letter between parties about living together again, but as a second letter passed refusing this the case was referred back to the commissioner to take additional testimony.

In divorce case of Wm. H. Arthur Schmidt vs. Beulah A. Smith, plaintiff filed answer to rule asked by respondent for alimony, etc.

Divorce was granted in case of Alice McClean vs. Sr. John McClean. In case of Elizabeth Hillman vs. Norman Hillman, J. L. Williams, Esq., was appointed commissioner to take testimony.

In case of Ambrose J. Wagaman vs. Grace Wagaman, J. L. Butt, Esq., was appointed commissioner to take testimony.

H. V. Brown and H. C. Wagner were discharged as administrators of Amos Brown and authorized to pay share of Gur F. Thomas, a minor of \$17.84 to the minor now 19 years of age.

Widow's list under \$300 law in estate of Wm. Funt, late of Butler township, was approved nisi.

John A. Shorb was discharged as administrator of Lucinda Myers, late of Littlestown.

Wm. E. Shanefelter was discharged as executor of Martha J. Shanefelter. Return was made of special election in New Oxford for the increase of indebtedness of the school district of that borough to \$14,350 and at election on April 29 the vote was 133 votes for increase and 31 votes against.

The first and final account of Wm. A. Smith, guardian of Joseph F. Spalding, minor child of Mary A. Spalding, was confirmed.

A. H. Thomas was appointed assessor of Biglerville to fill vacancy caused by resignation of H. U. Walter. Executors of W. W. Hafer vs. Albert Fissel, with notice to D. A. Fissel, judgment awarded plaintiff.

Mary J. Baumgardner vs. Jacob A. Spangler, judgment awarded plaintiff. The distribution of proceeds of sheriff's sale of George Trout to Jesse Overholzer, was confirmed nisi.

The account of Citizens' Trust Co., trustee of estate of Daniel Wagner, was confirmed.

L. M. Buehler's New Departure.

After two months of remarkable sales, L. M. Buehler, the enterprising druggist, says that his plan of selling at half price the regular 50 cent size of Dr. Howard's specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia, and guaranteeing to refund the money if it does not cure, has been the greatest success he has ever known.

Anyone suffering with dyspepsia, constipation, liver troubles, headaches, dizziness, coated tongue, or the general tired feeling caused by inactive liver and bowels or disordered digestion, should take advantage of L. M. Buehler's new departure and buy a bottle of Dr. Howard's specific at half price, with L. M. Buehler's personal guarantee to refund the money if it does not cure.

Advertisement.

SMALL Dark Bay Colt, 4 years old, strayed away from Hoffman Orphanage on Sunday, May 1. Information by phone or otherwise to Orphanage will be appreciated.

Advertisement.

FOR SALE—600 live chestnut poles 22 ft. long 4 in. top ready for delivery after July 15th, can be seen standing at camp of veterans 50th Anniversary, any reasonable offer accepted.

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Gettysburg Light Company.

PERSONALLY CONDUCTED

ALONG THE LINES OF INDIVIDUAL HAPPENINGS.

Comings and Goings, Social Events and Other Items of Interest.

—Mrs. Osborn who spent the winter at the home of Mrs. Sheely on Springs avenue has returned to her home in New Haven, Conn.

—Mrs. Homer N. Young and daughter have returned to Pittsburg after visiting the Misses Horner for several weeks.

—Mrs. E. H. Markley and niece Miss Klinefelter, have returned from a short visit with relatives in Baltimore.

—Mrs. Wharton McKnight of Wilkesburg has announced the engagement of her daughter, Miss Sarah McKnight to Dr. Louis Willard of Pittsburgh. Miss McKnight is the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wharton McKnight who spent a number of summers in Gettysburg.

—The voting contest at Eckert's Store closed with about 15,000 votes cast. The six successful contestants winning the oxfords were Robert Miller, Edmund Thomas, Earl Utz, Mary Lott, Mable Galbraith and Anna Vaughn. The others who stayed in the contest until it closed were given small souvenirs.

—George J. Kebl, proprietor of the Mansion House, Fairfield, formerly of Gettysburg, holds the trout record so far this season, having caught a speckled beauty measuring 15 inches.

—Rev. F. E. Taylor, S. Gray Biggam and Hon. Theo. McAllister, attended a conference held in the Market Square Presbyterian Church, Harrisburg, last week.

—The excursion run by the Gettysburg College Woman's League of Baltimore from that city to Gettysburg, last Friday, brought nearly 300 people here. A party of deaconesses were guests at dinner at the Rectory.

—Mrs. John Lipsey and Miss Meme Ziegler are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ziegler at Bloomington, Ill.

—Mrs. Penrose Myers has returned from visiting her daughters Mrs. Schofield of Cincinnati and Mrs. Schelling of Chicago. Mrs. Schelling accompanied her mother on her return.

—Miss Florence Heathcote who has been teaching in Stewartstown, N. H., has returned to her home on Bedford, Ave. for the summer.

—Mrs. Young of North Washington street is visiting at the home of her son, Chas. Morris Young, in Philadelphia.

—J. Murray Smiley, N. J. Gabler, G. Neal Carney, Howard Over and E. H. Frey, of the "Public Opinion" office of Chambersburg, were recent visitors to Gettysburg. They enjoyed a hike from Caledonia to the battlefield town and while here visited the Compiler plant.

—A Sunday School teachers' training class of six were graduated at Cashtown on last Saturday, the exercises taking place in the Reformed Church and address being made by Prof. C. F. Sanders of this place.

—Dr. Arthur Brumbaugh of Altoona, Miss Sarah Brumbaugh of Roaring Spring, and Lieut. Ed. Brumbaugh of New York, spent Sunday with their brother and sister who are students at college here.

—Mrs. G. W. Nicely of Hanover, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Wm. Bream for several days last week.

—Mrs. Zinn has returned to her home on Baltimore street after spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. John Zinn in Baltimore.

—John Reed Scott's new novel entitled "The Unforgiving Offender" was issued last week by the J. B. Lippincott Company.

Unique Anniversary

The Adams County Hardware Co. on their second annual anniversary on last Saturday gave its hundreds of patrons, men, women and children, an exhibition and treat that was unique and most interesting and thoroughly enjoyed. The day started off with the distribution of over 500 mocking bird whistles to as many children and there was music in the air. Then followed instructive demonstrations of the Pittsburgh Perfect Wire Fencing, of Harness, of Sporting Goods, of Children's products and other goods. The store was thronged throughout the day. Six thousand souvenirs were given away during the day, watch fobs, thimbles, pencils, knife sharpeners, and a match box with picture of Pennsylvania monument on it in colors.

On last Thursday, Ascension Day, Mr. Boston treated his employees to an enjoyable picnic in the country.

College Seniors Married.

BORTNER—McCLAIN.—Homer Bortner, a senior at Gettysburg College, and living at Brodbeck, York county, and Miss Agnes McClain of this place were married in Baltimore on last Thursday, having gone to that city with the big excursion of that day.

FORSCYTH—DELL.—Harry L. Forscyth, another senior, son of Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Forscyth of Minersville, and Miss Marilda Dell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Dell of this place, also took in Thursday's excursion to Baltimore and were married the same day.

WAGAMAN—MORCHY.—In St. Mary's rectory, McSherrytown, Saturday evening, April 27, Rev. J. A. Smith, officiated.

ant rector, united in marriage Leo Wagaman, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Wagaman, of McSherrytown, and Miss Elmira Grace Menchey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David A. Menchey of Hanover. The attendants were Ralph Lusman and Miss Helen Wagaman, sister of the groom.

BERKHIMER—SIMPSON.—Isaac Berkhimer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Berkhimer of York, and Miss Ida May Simpson, of East Berlin, were married in the Reformed parsonage, Hanover, by Rev. J. H. Hartman, Saturday, April 26, at 8 p. m. Mr. and Mrs. Berkhimer were given a dinner at the home of the bride's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Ruth, of Hanover, on Sunday afternoon. They will reside with their parents for the present.

McSHERRY—CUSHING.—Miss Effie E. Cushing, daughter of George W. and the late Susie Cushing, and Gervase W. McSherry of Taneytown, son of Mrs. Lizzie McSherry, of Littlestown, were married on Sunday afternoon April 20, 1913, at the parsonage at Freedom, by the bride's pastor, Rev. Mr. Fielding. The bride was gown in deep mourning. The wedding was a very quiet one on account of the death of the bride's mother about four months ago.

High School Commencement.

The High School Commencement exercises will be held in Brua Chapel on Thursday evening, May 29. As there are nineteen members in graduating class it has been found necessary to shorten the program, and there will be several speeches with the customary class day exercises of presentation of gifts, prophecy, etc. The following are the subjects of the graduation orations and from this number the commencement speakers will be selected. "Enemies of the Common School," Wilford Barthelemy; "The Crimson Tipped Flower," Frieda Buehler; "Music, a Part of an Education," Esther Crouder; "The Cap and Bells," Marian Deardorff; "The Girl in Question," Leilah Galbraith; "Government by Commission," Arthur Hutchinson; "The Coffee House," Margaret Keadiehart; "The Best Use of a Great Gift," Mabelle Little; "The Two Amendments," Carrie Miller; "The Potter's Art," Ella O'Hara; "From Classroom to Home," Nellie Robinson; "The Schoolboy as a Wage-earner," Lawrence Sheads; "Fifty Years in Gettysburg," Louise Sheads; "Great Discoveries, Science is Seeking," Claire Sowers; "The Weather Bureau," Wilbur Scallsmith; "The Lesson from an Incident," Minerva Taughnbaugh; "The Open Air School," Cornwell Taylor; "The Trial by Ordeal," Eva Walter; "School Gardens," Louise Weaver.

The address to class this year will be made by Rev. G. M. Meninger of Lancaster, and Citizens' Band will furnish the music. The baccalaureate sermon to the class will be delivered by Rev. F. E. Taylor in Presbyterian Church on Sunday evening, May 25. The Grammar School will have their graduating exercises on afternoon of May 29 in the Meade building and will be addressed by County Superintendent H. Milton Roth.

Memorial Day Oration.

Post 9 G. A. R. of this place takes pleasure in announcing to the public that the Hon. James Thomas Heflin of Alabama has accepted the invitation from this Post to deliver the Memorial address in the National Cemetery on Memorial Day, May 30th. While Mr. Heflin is only forty four years old, he has been elected five times to the National House of Representatives, he is an orator of the first class and the Post was fortunate in securing so able a man as Mr. Heflin. With a full Battalion of United States Regulars here who will participate in the parade the prospects are for the usual big time on that occasion.

A Committee from the Post will call on the Hotel Proprietors and business men for a contribution to pay the necessary expenses connected with Memorial Day and for the further purposes of taking care of Dept of Pa G. A. R. when they meet here the last week in June.

Federal Building.

Work on Federal Building has stopped for over two weeks, complications between contractor and bondsmen being the cause. It is most important that this building should be finished and occupied before the celebration starts. Five weeks should finish work and it is said all material is ready to go ahead with work. The government should proceed to compel a finishing without any further delay.

Battle Painting Here.

The Cyclorama building is completed. The sky light is nearly finished. Work was begun on the concrete floor last week. The great painting of Philopoteaux has arrived and will be erected at an early date. An entrance at building is being constructed.

FOR SALE—One 1912, 5 Passenger Overland Touring car used for demonstration purpose. Cheap. Crescent Auto Co., Gettysburg, Pa.

WANTED—200 cords of wood, immediate delivery. Apply CHIEF QUARTERMASTER, 231 Baltimore street.

PROFESSOR PASSES AWAY

PROF. JOURDON, CHAIR OF MATHEMATICS AT MT. ST. MARYS

Had Occupied Chair 43 Years—Other Deaths in County, and Those Known by Our People

CHARLES HENRY JOURDON, Professor of Mathematics at Mt. St. Mary's College, Emmitsburg, died on Tuesday of last week aged two months over 83 years. He was born in the town of Fourcalquier, Provence, France, and was educated in the Lycee of Montpelier, France. When 30 years of age he came to this country, teaching for four years in various schools in Montreal. In 1865 he came to Maryland where he joined the faculty of Mt. St. Mary's College as Professor of Mathematics and of Chemistry. He filled that chair until 1888 when he removed to Mexico to found a college at the Hacienda del Rosario, Coahuila, at the residence of Gov. Exaristo Madero, the grandfather of the late murdered President of the Republic who was among his students. The death of his oldest daughter, Miss Frances, induced him to return to the States, making his residence in Brooklyn, N. Y. When in that city Rev. Wm. Marshall, President of Seton Hall, offered him the chair of mathematics in that college which he held until 1895 when he again joined the faculty of Mt. St. Mary's, taking his former chair of mathematics which he filled until his death. He was for a time Lecturer on Chemistry at St. Joseph's College for young ladies, near Emmitsburg. In 1871 he was offered the chair of mathematics at Lafayette college but declined the offer. In 1881 Georgetown University, Washington, D. C., conferred on him the degree of Ph.D. His wife was Adelaide Dielman, who died in January 1911. She was the daughter of Dr. Henry C. Dielman, a distinguished musician and composer and for upwards of 40 years Professor of Music in Mt. St. Mary's College. He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Frank A. Roddy of Emmitsburg, and Miss Edith Jourdon, at home.

Mrs. SARAH HARRIET DENTLER, wife of David W. Miner of Waynesboro, died suddenly on Saturday afternoon, April 27th, in her 66th year. She was found dead in her chair by her husband. He had left her about an hour before to attend to some business matters. Then she was standing in the yard of her home, talking to Mrs. J. Edw. Eyer, her daughter, in the adjoining property. She was in her usual health at that time. When Mr. Miner returned he did not find her in the lower story of the house and called to her but received no answer. Then he ascended to the second floor and discovered her seated in a chair, her head hanging down and the life gone out of her body. He summoned neighbors and physicians but nothing could be done for his wife. She had died of heart disease, about twenty minutes before, the physicians said. She was born at Fountaindale, this county, the daughter of George and Laura Dentler, and when a child her parents removed to farm near Waynesboro. She married David W. Miner in 1869 and lived in Waynesboro 43 years. The funeral was held on Tuesday of last week. She leaves besides her husband three daughters and a son, Mrs. E. L. Updegrave of Hagerstown, Mrs. A. S. Harsh of Williamsport, Md., Mrs. J. Edw. Eyer of Waynesboro, and G. Frank Miner of Chambersburg.

An interesting story is recalled of George Dentler, father of Mrs. Miner, a former resident of this county. He came to this country when six years old with his parents, from Germany. They came with many other people, in a ship that required 13 months to make the voyage. The passengers, many of them, had good-sized sums of money in gold and the captain and crew, so the story goes, planned to rob them of this. The passengers banded together and informed the captain that if he persisted in his purpose of robbery and kept his boat on the ocean an unnecessary time, they would take summary vengeance on him. He evidently did not give any evidence of changing his plans and the passengers hung him and the first mate. Then the ship's course was directed toward a port and the immigrants were seen landed.

JACOB KITZMILLER, a highly respected citizen of the town, died at his home on West Middle street early Monday morning, aged 75 years, 7 months and 8 days. Death was due to paralysis, having had a stroke about three weeks ago. His health was on decline for a year. He was born in Gettysburg and lived here early in life. He was a veteran of the Civil War, having enlisted in 1862 in Co. E, 15th Pennsylvania Cavalry, and served until war was over. He was a member of Corporal Skelly Post No. 9, G. A. R., and always was deeply interested in everything pertaining to the Grand Army. After the war he followed farming for about 15 years in Freedom township and then moved to town. He served a term of three years as a member of the Town Council and always gave faithful and earnest attention to all matters entrusted to him. The funeral will be held this Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock with interment in Evergreen Cemetery. He leaves a wife, who was Miss Margaret Sandoe, and following children: Mrs. H. Edwin Plank, Sandoe Kitzmiller, Blaine Kitzmiller and Perry Kitzmiller of Gettysburg, Mrs. Lewis Lockard, Miss Olive and Chas. (Continued on page 5.)

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MARRIAGES.

BUTT-BENNER.—On last Saturday, at the Reformed parsonage in this place, Dr. T. J. Barkley married Geo. L. Butt of East Berlin and Miss Carrie V. Benner, daughter of Moses Benner of Mt. Joy township, who taught in the schools of Biglerville during the past winter.

BREAM-BAUGHER.—Miss Ethel V. Baugher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Baugher, and Denton Bream, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jefferson Bream, both of Aspers, were married at Philadelphia, Monday, April 21. Miss Baugher has been a teacher in the schools of Adams county and Mr. Bream is a bookkeeper with the Pennsylvania Steel Company, Steelton. They will reside in Harrisburg.

WISE-DEARDORFF.—On April 12, at Dover, by Rev. A. G. Fastnacht, Bruce E. Wise of York county, and Miss Carrie E. Deardorff of East Berlin.

HULL-MILLER.—On April 22, by Dr. T. J. Barkley, Courtney M. Hull and Miss Maude Miller, both of Harrisburg.

Cashtown Civic League.

The league observed Arbor Day by planting trees in Recreation Park.

Some new seats are almost ready to be placed and as soon as the season warrants, other park furnishings will be brought out of storage; swings, settees and the see-saw, the delight of the "Riddies."

At the April meeting (25th) May 2nd was fixed upon as clean-up day. The citizens co-operated so satisfactorily that it seemed advisable to go on with the work.

The State Flower question was discussed. With all due respect for the modest daisy and the sweet violet, the majority of the members present favored the Mountain Laurel as particu-

larly emblematic of Pennsylvania's ruggedness.

The league is also giving some study to the Woman Suffrage wave that is sweeping over the land—in fact over all lands. And now that Pennsylvania may see a campaign state it behooves all women who want to work intelligently, whether for woman suffrage or against it, to study the movement.

The league will send delegates to the Central District conference to be held at York May 8th.

Eddie Plank in Great Form.

Splendid pitching by Plank was the great feature of Philadelphia's victory over New York last Friday by score of 4 to 0 in favor of Athletics. Only three singles, one in the fourth and two in the fifth inning were made off Plank, who fanned ten batsmen and was given perfect support by his teammates. Plank struck out three in the sixth, did not give a pass, retired his opponents in order in seven innings, and did not permit a runner to get further than second base. Frank Chance of the New York team said: "This is the first time I have ever seen Plank in action and I feel sure he is the greatest left-hander I ever batted against. While his crossfire, slow ball and change of pace impressed me greatly, to my mind his fast ball is the best thing he has. It is nothing short of marvelous that a man 38 years old can have the fast ball he has, for while some veteran pitchers can win games on their generalship and experience, they no longer have any speed. Plank is truly a wonder, and I can readily understand why the American League players call him the best left-hander in the country."

THE MARKETS.

Prices at the Gettysburg warehouse corrected weekly by C. M. Wolf.

	Per Bu
New Wheat	\$1.00
New Corn	.60
Rye	.70
Oats	.40

RETAIL PRICES

	Per 100
Wheat Bran	\$1.80
Corn and Oats Chop	1.85
Middlings	1.60
Red Middlings	1.50
Timothy hay	.85
Rye chop	1.70
Baled straw	.60
Cottonseed Meal	1.65

	Per bbl.
Flour	\$5.20
Western flour	6.40
Wheat	\$1.20
Corn	.70
Western oats	.45
Badger Feed	1.35

PRODUCE AT WHOLESALE.

Butter firm, good demand, in the print 28c., eggs, market firm 17c., live fowl, 13c., spring chickens 28c.

PRODUCE AT RETAIL.

Eggs 20c per dozen, butter 32c per pound

Lutheran General Synod.

The General Synod of the Lutheran Church in the United States will meet in St. Mark's Lutheran Church, Atchison, Kansas, beginning on May 14 and will be in session about a week. Twenty-three synods will have delegates in the General Synod and the West Pennsylvania Synod with a total of 94 ministers serving 154 congregations with a communicant membership of 29,835 will be represented as follows:

Ministerial—Rev. Geo. W. Enders, D.D., Rev. A. R. Steck, D.D., York; Rev. George M. Diffenderfer, D.D., Carlisle; Rev. O. C. Roth, D.D., Chambersburg; Rev. A. B. Van Orner, D.D., Shippensburg; Rev. J. A. Clutz, D.D., Gettysburg; Rev. M. L. Clare, Spring Grove, and Rev. W. I. Redcay, Hanover.

Lay Delegates—J. A. Dempwolf, George E. Neff and P. A. Ellessor, York; W. L. Glatfelter, Spring Grove; W. A. Granville, Ph.D., LL.D., Amos Eckert and E. P. Miller, Gettysburg, and Edward Helb, Railroad.

Turnpike Litigation.

State Senator Jno. W. Hoke of Chambersburg was in Gettysburg on last Wednesday and as representing the State Highway Department, and with Charles Walter, Esq., representing the Turnpike Co., called upon Judge S. McC. Swope to have the papers for the condemnation of the Bedford pike in Fulton county so endorsed that the case can be taken to the Supreme Court next month and a decision reached in June. If the case had been taken from Franklin county instead of Fulton it could not have been heard

by appellate court until next March. It is hoped to have the constitutionality of the Sproul Act determined and if upheld the toll gates on the pike can be abolished immediately following the decision.

FOR SALE—600 live chestnut poles 22 ft. long 4 in tops ready for delivery after July 15th, can be seen standing at camp of veterans 50th Anniversary, any reasonable offer accepted.

T. P. TURNER.

Gettysburg Light Company.

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AN ORDINANCE

The following ordinance was introduced in the Town Council of the Borough of Gettysburg at a regular meeting, held April 11, 1913, and will come up for final enactment at the meeting of Council to be held at the Council Chamber at 7:30 o'clock, p. m., on June 3, 1913, when and where any person interested may appear.

AN ORDINANCE.

Ordaining alley in rear of lots on the south side of Springs avenue, from Reynolds street to Hays street.

Be it ordained by the Burgess and Town Council of the Borough of Gettysburg, and it is hereby ordained by authority of the same:

Section 1. That an alley in the rear of the lots on the south side of Springs avenue, beginning for a center line at an iron pin in the middle of said alley, one hundred and eighty-two feet from the south side of said Springs avenue, at west side of Reynolds street, running thence west, parallel with said Springs avenue, to an iron pin 182 feet from the south side of said Springs avenue in the middle of said alley at the east side of Hays street, be and it is ordained and opened to the width of twelve feet six feet each side of a center line.

Presented to Council this 11th day of April, 1913.

HARRY S. TROSTLE.

Attest: C. B. Kitzmiller, Sec.

SUIT MEGAPHONES

Every Spring Suit we sell will be a megaphone for us, calling attention to our superior garments. Pick out your favorite, you'll find the right shape, the right shade, the right weight at just the right price.

Look or buy, you'll be welcome here at any time:---

We've a heaping measure of values in store for you, regardless of whether you buy a Suit at \$8, \$10, \$12 to \$20.

We'll be satisfied when you are, but not until then is your money ours.

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Fine Dress Goods for Spring and Summer. We name some of the popular

Summer Fabrics for this Season

Silk Striped Cotton Voils, New Cloth Pop-lins (Silk, Wool and Cotton) Ratine. Dress Linens colors & white, Wash Silks, Crepes, Flaxons, Persion Lawns, Etc., Etc. - - -

Summer Underwear==

In Knit and Muslin a large variety and the usual good VALUES for PRICES. We aim to give the best the market affords at POPULAR PRICES.

Woman's Neck Wear--

All the newest conceits at POPULAR PRICES.

Summer Hosiery==

Hosiery for Summer now in Silk, Lisle or Cotton only keep the best brands and guarantee satisfaction in wear (black & colors.)

Embroidery & Laces--

New Embroidery, New Flouncing, New Trimmings and Laces. Also our special all linen Lace at 5cts, all width from 1 to 4 inches.

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WANTED—House to house salesmen to sell the Hansomest, Easiest Running and Best constructed Vacuum Sweeper on the market today. We have a good proposition. Address STANDARD NOVELTY WORKS, Duaneauon, Penna.

Advertisement.

Read the "COMPILER."

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that Sarah A. Althoff and Wm. J. Althoff, of Mt. Joy township, Adams county, Pa., have made an assignment to the undersigned in trust for the benefit of their creditors, and the said creditors are hereby required, within six months from the date hereof, to make proof of their claims in the manner provided by the Act of June 4th, 1901, or be debarred from coming in upon the funds.

JACOB A. APPLER.

J. L. Williams, Atty.

Assignee.

OVERLAND

Winter---The dulllest season---was our most active shipping period

THE three deadest months, in the automobile business, are December, January and February. During this period some automobile factories shut down altogether.

With the Overland it has been the reverse. They have been shipping over 140 cars a day for the last six months.

Right now, they are delivering over \$1,000,000.00 worth of Overlands every single week.

Their great factories can make no more than this. The demand forced them to manufacture as many cars in the dull

season as they planned and prepared to do in the height of the best season---which is from April on.

The urgent demands for the 1913 Overland have broken and established new production records every day.

In 7 months they have shipped twenty-one thousand cars.

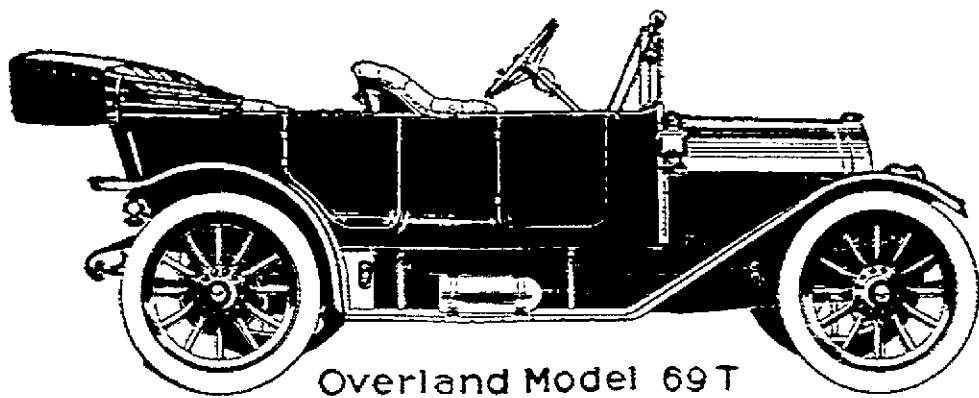
This is just over 85 per cent. more than they delivered up to this time last year.

Every section, state and town in the country is ordering in excess of its contract---and it is utterly impossible for them to supply the cars.

\$985 Completely Equipped

F. O. B. Toledo

Self-Starter
30 Horsepower
5-Passenger Touring Car
110-inch Wheel Base
Timken Bearings
Center Control



Overland Model 69 T

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Warner Speedometer
Mohair Top and Boot
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This completely equipped, self-starting, 30 horsepower, five passenger touring car for \$985 is the equal of any \$1200 car built. It has the power, the speed, the seating capacity, the construction, the comforts and conveniences.

No car is made better. Being built in the largest, most completely equipped and most modernly appointed factory in the industry, you get in this car the same manufacturing methods used by the makers of the very highest priced cars. The methods of production are just as thorough, just as painstaking and just as exacting. The materials and cars are subject to the same rigid inspections and tests as the highest priced cars made.

Judge the value by the demand---and you'll always save money. They are now over 7000

cars behind their "immediate shipping orders" and it is still the latter part of the dull automobile season

Figuring from the present pressure for Overlands, it is difficult to calculate what the demand will be when the spring season comes. It is safe to assume that they will be swamped.

They advise quick action if you want an Overland. Delay will not only mean a longer wait for your new Overland, but possibly you will be unable to get one at any price.

Enter your order now, and you may get your Overland when you want it. We candidly advise you to see the Overland dealer without delay. And as a final suggestion---take one more look at the above figures.

CRESCENT AUTO CO.,

YORK STREET,

GETTYSBURG, PENNA.

PROFESSOR PASSES AWAY

(Continued from page 1).

Kitzmiller of York, Starr Kitzmiller of Harrisburg, and Guyon Kitzmiller of Baltimore. He is survived by a sister, Mrs. Theodore Homan of this place.

BERNARD L. STORM, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Storm of Mount Rock, this county, died in a hospital at Lancaster, April 28th, at 10:30 a. m., following an operation. He was aged about 22 years. The young man was employed as a baker in that city for several years. His last visit home was made about three weeks ago. Surviving him are his parents and nine brothers and sisters, as follows: Mary, May, Alice, Lucy, Curtis, Joseph, Edgar, Austin and Eugene, all at home. The body was taken to the home of his parents on last Wednesday. Funeral on Friday, May 2, from Cone-wago Chapel, where a requiem mass was solemnized by Rev. Germainus Kohl, interment in the Chapel cemetery.

Mrs. LUCIA C. HANNA, who resided the greater part of her life near Arendtsville, this county, but spent the last few years in Houston, Texas, died in Houston last Wednesday, aged 67 years. She is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Emma Wooding of Houston, Texas, with whom she had her home, and Mrs. Minnie Hershey of Paris, Texas, and Mrs. Arthur Roberts, of near Arendtsville.

PAUL EMERSON TAYLOR, U. S. consul at Port of Spain, Trinidad, died on April 2. He was a native of Franklin county. He practiced law in Chambersburg. He enlisted during the Spanish-American War in Sheridan Troop. After his service he returned to Chambersburg and later went to Nebraska where he practiced law, and was appointed by President Taft to the consular position. He is a cousin of Rev. F. E. Taylor, pastor of Presbyterian Church of this place.

LUTHER E. SNOW, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sandoe, of Butler township, died Sunday, April 27, from organic heart trouble.

JESSE ECKERT died at his home in Strabala township, near Table Rock, on last Saturday, aged 81 years, 3 months and 21 days. He was a native of county, and a veteran of the Civil War, having served in Co. G, 135th Pa. Vol. Regt. He was a bachelor. The funeral was held on Monday with interment at Bender's Church.

FRANCIS CUNNINGHAM, formerly of this place, died Sunday night at Ringtown, Schuylkill county. Funeral Wednesday at 10:30 a. m. from the residence of his niece, Mrs. J. K. Coburn, 162 East Middle street. Interment in Evergreen Cemetery. He is survived by two children, Frank A. of Williamsport, Pa., and Mrs. Henry Ringbaser with whom he resided. He has one brother, John Cunningham, of East Middle street. He was a veteran of the Civil War.

Mrs. CAROLINE BENNETT, widow of Henry Bennett, died at her home in Baltimore, April 29. She lived at one time in Freedom township near Rhodes Mill and has a number of friends and relatives in the county. The interment was at Thurmont last Thursday.

Mrs. MAGDALEN ARCHOFF, widow of the late Samuel Archoff, died at her home in Hanover on Monday, April 29, aged 59 years and 12 days. During the past year the deceased had both of her hips broken by falling at her residence—one in August and the other in December. Other complications developed. The deceased is survived by one daughter, Mrs. John Brady, who with her husband and family, resided with her during the past nineteen years. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Strawsbaugh of Paradise township, York county.

Wm. H. HAGERMAN died at his home along the East Berlin road, about five miles from York, Friday morning, April 26, aged about 74 years. He was born and reared in Mt. Pleasant township, and removed from near Cedar Ridge to York county about twenty years ago. He was thrice married and is survived by twelve children, one of whom by his first wife is Charles E. Hagerman who removed from near New Oxford to Hanover, recently. He is also survived by one brother, Jos. Hagerman, Mt. Rock, and one sister residing in Harrisburg. The body was conveyed to Bonneauville where interment was made in the Catholic cemetery after a high mass of requiem in St. Joseph's Church, Rev. Fr. Shanahan officiating.

Mrs. SARAH MILLER died at the home of her son, Adam A. Miller in Dillsburg on Sunday morning, April 28 following a stroke of paralysis she sustained on previous Saturday. The deceased was aged 85 years and was born and reared in Huntington township where she lived until about 20 years ago when she moved to York Springs. Mrs. Miller resided here until about a year ago when her son moved to Dillsburg. The funeral was held on Tuesday afternoon of last week with interment in Sunnyside cemetery, York Springs. Rev. Paul Gladtetter conducting the services. She is survived by one daughter and three sons, Mrs. J. H. Naylor and J. W. O. Miller, of Lutherville township; Frank Miller, of Huntington township, and Adam A. Miller, of Dillsburg.

JOHN HORSEHOLDER, a former resident of Abbotstown, died April 24th at his home in Indiana. He is survived by his wife and six children, and the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. John Butt, East Berlin; Mrs. Frank Bathurst, Harrisburg; Mrs. E. H. Spangler, New York; Daniel and George, of York.

Fruit Trees.
The Adams County Nursery offers a fine lot of fruit trees in apple and peach, in leading varieties. The Adams County Nursery, H. G. BARGHER, Aspers, Pa.

N. A. Baseball Supplement May 11.

Covering a greater baseball scope, richer in illustrations, and having more entertaining reading matter connected with the national game than ever before, The North American's eighth annual baseball supplement will be out Sunday, May 11.

This supplement was an idea original with The North American, and no other publication has ever marked the annual opening of the baseball season with an edition containing so much to interest the player and fan.

All of The North American's baseball men contribute. Sporting Editor Graham, Baseball Humorist Isaminger, Scholastic and College Editor Kauffman and Cartoonist Hoban.

There are two pages in color, the first an artistic grouping illustrating the speed with which the fan grasps the most rapid play, and the last page is a mine of comedy by Hoban.

James C. Isaminger, one of the foremost of baseball writers, contributes a rich story on the "Baseball Goat."

Two pages of scholastic and collegiate baseball news cover this phase of baseball's activity, there is a complete roster of all the Philadelphia clubs, which will be found useful in keeping schedules filled, and reports of plans from hundreds of teams throughout Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Delaware and Maryland.

It has been the experience yearly with this number that the edition is always quickly sold out, and there is always a demand for more copies than can be supplied.

The only way to play it safe is to order your copy of your newsdealer now.

Moth Spraying Demonstration.

The annual spring series of public meetings in the demonstration orchards under the supervision of State Zoologist H. A. Surface began in Adams county on Monday, May 5. At these meetings the demonstrator shows the most approved and modern methods of protecting fruit crops from such insects as codling moth and curculio, and from the various fungous

diseases. As the blossoms open earliest in the southern counties of the State, the demonstrations are scheduled to begin in these counties first. Spraying should not be done while the blossoms are on the trees, but rather during the four or five days immediately after the petals have fallen.

The public exercises begin at one o'clock in the afternoon, and the demonstrator will be present regardless of the weather. Everybody is invited to be present. The following dates are announced:

Monday, May 5, D. C. Jacobs, Gettysburg, R. 5.

Tuesday, May 6, I. D. Mickle, Cash-town.

Wednesday, May 7, Jacob Goeh-nour, Aspers.

Now Paint.

Strike when the iron is hot and paint when the property needs it.

They paint ships a dozen times a year; yes, some of them, every voyage. What for, do you think? To look nice and get business.

A livery keeps its carriages painted and varnished and washed, to look nice and get business.

A man, with a house for sale or to let, "does it up," and Devoe is the paint.

There's more in paint than to keep out water. Paint for looks and you needn't think about water. A fresh coat of paint once a year is about as good for his credit as paying his debts. But the man whose buildings and fences look new, very likely, has no debts.

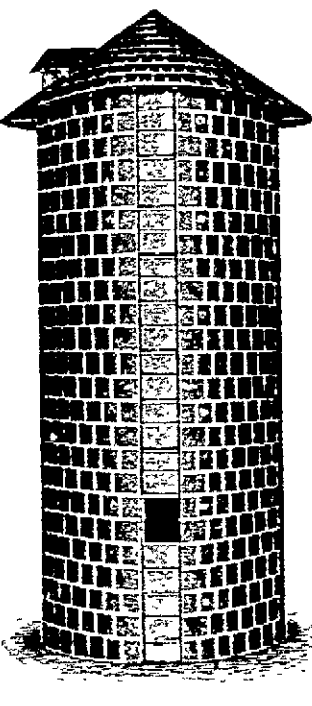
DEVOE

T. J. Winebrenner sell it.

NOTICE.

First and Final account of Peter F. Smith, Assignee in Trust for the benefit of the creditors of A. C. Rice, of McSherrystown, Adams County, Pa. including schedule of Distribution, will be confirmed on the 19th day of May, 1913 at 10:30 o'clock a. m. unless cause be shown to the contrary.

T. MARSHALL MEHRING, Prothonotary



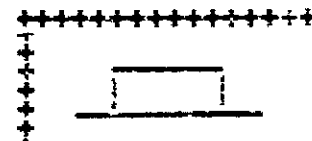
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S-W Common-wealth Barn Red—A bright handsome red, for painting barns, corn-cribs, fences, etc. Works very easily, covers well and is more economical to use than short-measure barn paints. Commonwealth Barn Red is always put up full measure. Also made in gray.

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S-W Preservative Shingle Stains—(Made with Creosote)—S-W Shingle Stains will cover on an average surface about 150 square feet to the gallon if brushed or 2 1-2 to 2 3-4 gallons will stain 1000 ordinary shingles as a dipping-coat for usual laying. Made in 23 colors—warm browns, soft grays, attractive greens etc. Will protect the shingles from decay and lengthen their life.

Brighten Up Your Wood-Work

S-W Floorlac—For staining and varnishing, floors, furniture and woodwork at one operation. A combination of stain that is non-fading and good floor varnish, which is tough and durable and will not show scratches and heel-marks readily. Comes in convenient cans in eight natural wood effects. Easy to apply—hard to wear off.

Brighten Up Your Floors

S-W Inside Floor Paint—Prepared ready for the brush. Made expressly for inside floors. Is easily applied, dries overnight with a good gloss and stands hard wear. Ten sensible, attractive colors which withstand the tramping of many feet.

HERE are some of the Brighten Up Club boosters. See how cheerful, optimistic, and energetic they look! And they want you and your family to join them. They want to enlist you in the good cause of Brightening Up your home, your garden and your city, and make things welcome for Spring. It's so much better to live amid pleasant surroundings, and if we all get together we can make our city one of the brightest spots on the map. Read the Brighten Up Creed, then come to us for your copy and badge of membership—free. Let's all get together to boost the Brighten Up Club.

First among the many Brighten Up materials we sell, comes SWP—Sherwin-Williams Prepared Paint—a product which will make the outside of your home all spic and span for the bright sunny days. It's very durable, too—made from the best lead, white zinc and pure linseed oil, according to chemical formulas, and ground finely by powerful machines. There's no guess-work about SWP. That's why we recommend it and sell so much. Forty-eight permanent, attractive colors—covers best, wears longest, cheapest in the end. Call for color-folders and information.

The Brighten Up Club Creed.

- To Brighten Up myself—to be optimistic, cheerful and good natured.
- To Brighten Up my home and spread the Brighten Up spirit among my neighbors.
- To Brighten Up my business and take pleasure as well as profit from it.
- To Brighten Up my town and promote its social, industrial and commercial progress.
- To promote the love of Nature, sunshine and fresh air.
- To adopt Brighten Up as my slogan.

Brighten Up Your Shelves

S-W Family Paint—A paint for household use, suitable for baseboards, shelves, boxes, and the many little things about the house; produces an oil finish that can be repeatedly washed. Handsome assortment of colors.

Brighten Up Your Screens

S-W Screen Enamel—For renewing old screens, and preventing rust. Does not close up the mesh and dries with a high gloss that prevents dust and dirt from adhering to the screen. Made in black and green.

Brighten Up Your Walls

S-W Flat-Tone—You can have sanitary, washable and attractive walls in your home by using Sherwin-Williams Flat-tone. This material is made in liquid form, is applied direct to the plaster, and dries with a flat, velvety finish. In Flat-tone there are 24 soft, restful shades to choose from—you can match the other decorations without trouble. Then when housecleaning time arrives, all you have to do is to wash the surface with soap and water—and it's clean and fresh again. We shall be glad to tell you all about this splendid decorative finish.

Porch and Lawn Furniture Enamel

Prepared ready for the brush—made expressly for porch and lawn furniture and similar work where the finish is exposed to the weather. Colors are bright and thoroughly meet the popular demand. Dries with a hard surface that will not soften under heat or stick to the clothing.

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NOTICE.

Municipal House-cleaning Day

THURSDAY, MAY 8th, 1913.

Persons desiring rubbish and debris removed will collect same and deposit in boxes or barrels. Place them in the alleys and the Borough will furnish teams to haul them away.

By order of Town Council,

C. B. KITZMILLER, Sec.

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER FIFTH ANNIVERSARY BATTLE OF GETTYSBURG.

ASSISTANCE OF IN TRUST FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE CREDITORS OF THOMAS M. NORWOOD AND WIFE, OF BUTLER TOWNSHIP, ADAMS COUNTY, PA. AND WILL BE CONFIRMED ON MAY 19, 1913 AT 10:30 A. M. UNLESS CAUSE BE SHOWN TO THE CONTRARY.

T. MARSHALL MEHRING, Prothonotary.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

STATE OF MARY JANE MARING, late of Gettysburg Borough, Adams County, Pa. deceased.—Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Mary Jane Maring, of Gettysburg Borough, Adams County, Pa. deceased, has been granted to the undersigned, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

DAVID M. RING, Adminr.
Gettysburg, Pa.

S-S Noel, Adm'r.
Gettysburg, Pa.

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Gettysburg, Pa.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 7, 1913

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SOME GOOD NEW LAWS.

The most important step for education in practical subjects taken in Pennsylvania in years was made possible last week when Governor Tener approved the Showalter vocational education bill. The bill will provide for technical, agricultural, industrial, domestic science and other branches of education in the public schools of the state by a system of help from the Treasury, similar to the aid given to general education. The details will be worked out by the state Board of Education and the appropriations for the first two years will be estimated next week by the appropriations committee and cared for in the general bill.

The approved bill provides for State reimbursement of school districts at the rate of two-thirds of the amount expended by them for such instruction. The bill defines and establishes vocational, industrial and agricultural and household arts education and provides that such courses may be created under supervision of the State Board of Education, which is to name experts to assist in the establishment and maintenance of standards of such education, the administration to be in the hands of local school boards which may combine for schools in any of the branches also arrange for evening or part day time classes in addition to regular day courses. Provision is also made that pupils of districts which do not have such courses may receive instruction in another district under certain conditions.

The provision for state aid is for annual payments to districts maintaining such departments of "an amount equal to two-thirds the sum which has been expended during the previous school year" for instruction "in practical subjects and such related technical subjects as may be necessary to complete well rounded courses of training." No district may receive more than \$5,000 a year. School districts that have paid claims for tuition in approved local or joint schools or departments are to be reimbursed to extent of one-half of the cost of such claims. The statement of expenditures is to be presented to the Superintendent of Public Instruction by July 10 annually.

This law is sufficient encouragement

to the Gettysburg School Board to proceed forthwith to arrange for a domestic science department along with the manual training and basketry, to which might be added gardens, and also a course of music and with the aid of State paying two-thirds of the bill, the one-third should be easily within the *expense limit* of borough.

Governor Tener also signed last week the mothers' pension bill, making it law, and becomes operative in any county when Governor has appointed not fewer than five nor more than seven women as administrators or trustees in each county accepting the act. The bill provides monthly payments to indigent, widowed or abandoned mothers for partial support of their children at home. At present, if parents are unable to maintain their children properly, the latter are supported by the counties in institutions or homes other than their own.

When application for monthly payments is approved, a sworn statement goes to the Attorney General and the county treasurer. The money is then received directly by the beneficiary for the maintenance of children at home until they become of working age and obtain employment. A detailed copy of the allotments to beneficiaries must be filed in the Juvenile Courts of counties. In counties where there are no Juvenile Courts, the statement is filed in the Courts of Common Pleas. These records will be under the eye of the court.

The \$200,000 appropriation by the State for the next two years is regarded as small as Ohio recently set aside \$700,000 for similar purposes. Ohio, New Jersey, Missouri and part of Illinois now have mothers' pension laws, drawn along the same lines.

Payments are to be made monthly and the combined maximum payment shall not exceed \$12 per month for one child, \$20 per month for two children, \$25 per month for three children and \$5 per month for each additional child.

It has been estimated that Philadelphia would receive \$49,000 of the appropriation according to 1910 census. Upon same basis Adams county would be entitled to \$1000 or \$500 a year as the appropriation is for two years. But Adams county will only be able to get this sum provided the County Commissioners pass a resolution to set aside a like amount for the same purpose. This should be done and then have it followed up with a petition to Governor Tener to appoint five women administrators of fund in the county and surely in Adams county will be found most deserving mothers to whom such pensions would be a blessing.

Another law of interest to our people is one making the deer season from Nov. 10 to Nov. 25.

Political Announcement.

Subject to the decision of the Democratic voters at the primaries.

Democratic Candidate for Director of the Poor

JACOB GOODENBERGER,

of Berwick Twp.

I hope my past record as Director of Poor of Adams Co. has been such as to merit your vote and support at the coming primary Sept. 27, 1913.

Your vote and support kindly solicited. Thanking you for the past.

JACOB GOODENBERGER.

Democratic Candidate for Director of the Poor,

HARRY B. BEARD,

Of Hamiltonban Twp

Democratic Candidate for Director of Poor,

R. P. EISENHART,

of East Berlin

Democratic Candidate for Director of the Poor,

SIMON P. MILLER,

OF Mt. Joy Twp.

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When you go to Hammer's store, you get no stamps, no guesses, drawings or tickets, but you get a 55c collar pad for 25c, 10 cents to put in your pocket, without any lottery tricks. We have just received 1000 yds. fancy Lancaster gingham, 1000 yds. other 5 cent gingham, 1600 yds. men's everyday shirts, 500 yds. 38 in. muslin, can goat 6 cents a yard. We have fine young Flemish Giants Rabbits, good eating the whole year, their flesh equals Pheasant meat. Don't send \$5.75 to the city for rabbits that will not match ours at 50 cents each. 1000 Edison New Records \$8.00 per dozen, no less sold.

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THE MARKETS.

Prices at the Gettysburg warehouse corrected weekly by C. M. Wolf.

	Per Bu
New Wheat	\$1.00
New Corn	.60
Rye	.70
Oats	.40

RETAIL PRICES

	Per 100
Wheat Bran	\$1.80
Corn and Oats Chop	1.35
Middlings	1.60
Red Middlings	1.50
Timothy hay	.85
Rye chop	1.70
Baled straw	.60
Cottonseed Meal	1.65
Flour	Per bbl. \$5.20
Western Flour	Per bu. 6.40
Wheat	Per bu. \$1.20
Corn	.70
Western oats	.45
Badger Feed	1.85

PRODUCE AT WHOLESALE.

Butter firm, good demand, in the print 23c., eggs, market firm 17c., live fowl, 13c., spring chickens 28c.

PRODUCE AT RETAIL.

Eggs 20c per dozen, butter 82c per pound

5 ct. package

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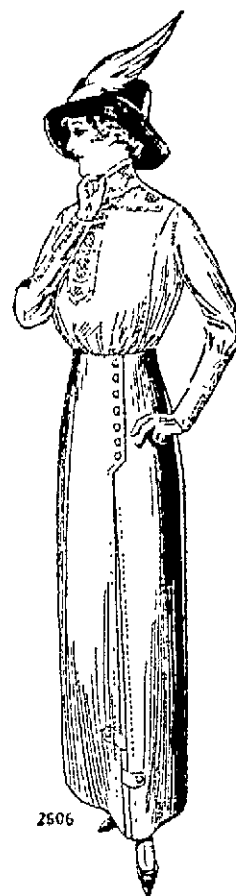
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NOTICE

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Notice is hereby given to all legatees and other persons concerned that the administration accounts hereinafter entered will be presented at an Orphans' Court of Adams County, Pa., for confirmation and allowance on Monday, May 19, 1912, at 10:30 a. m. of said day.

96. The first and final account of Alburus Rudolph, executor of the will of John Rudolph, late of Mt. Pleasant township, Adams county, Pa., deceased.
97. The first and final account of John P. Bushey, executor of the will of Alexander J. Bushey, late of Ardenville Borough, Adams county, Pa., deceased.
98. The first and final account of Sarah E. Elder, administratrix of the estate of Joseph Elder, late of Berwick township, Adams county, Pa., deceased.
99. The first and final account of Ellis D. Weigle, administrator of the estate of John A. Weigle, late of Ardenville Borough, Adams county, Pa., deceased.
100. The first and final account of Amanda J. Power, administrator of the estate of John A. Power, late of Lattimore township, Adams county, Pa., deceased.
101. The second account of David M. Stewart, executor of the will of Eleanor I. V. Stewart, late of Park Springs, Borough, Adams county, Pa., deceased.
102. The second and final account of John Edward Plank, executor of the will of John G. Plank, late of Cumberland township, Adams county, Pa., deceased.
103. The first and final account of R. M. Straley, executor of the will of Elizabeth Stoner, late of New Oxford Borough, Adams county, Pa., deceased.
104. The first and final account of George L. Bear and J. A. McKlincy, executors of the will of Lydia B. Weaver, late of Bendersville Borough, Adams county, Pa., deceased.
105. The second and final account of George R. Hartman, administrator and trustee of the real estate of Solomon Hartman, late of Ardenville Borough, Adams county, Pa., deceased.
106. The first and final account of David Noel, one of the executors of the will of Jerome J. Noel, late of McSherrystown Borough, Adams county, Pa., deceased.
107. The second and final account of George M. Moxley, administrator and trustee of John A. H. Rether late of the Borough of Bidersville Adams county, Pa., deceased.
108. The second and final account of George D. Bashaw and John A. Shorb, executors of the will of Abraham Moxley, late of Littlestown Borough, Adams county, Pa., deceased.
109. The account of George L. Jorjy, and The Guardian Trust Company of York, Pa., executors of the will of Lewis Jorjy, late of the Borough of Abbottstown, Adams county, Pa., deceased.
110. The first and final account of David A. Buehler, administrator of the estate of Martha J. Wirt, late of Des Moines City, Iowa, deceased.
111. The first and final account of John Schwartz, executor of the will of Elizabeth Schwartz, late of Union township, Adams county, Pa., deceased.
112. The first account of Dallas F. Plank, executor of the will of Levi M. Plank, late of Cumberland township, Adams county, Pa., deceased.
113. The first and final account of Donald P. McPherson, executor of the real estate of formerly, Eliza Crawford, Annie D. Crawford, and Margaret D. Crawford, late of Gettysburg, Adams county, Pa., deceased.
114. The first and final account of Howard J. Hartman, executor of the will of Harriet E. Galbraith, late of Gettysburg Borough, Adams county, Pa., deceased.

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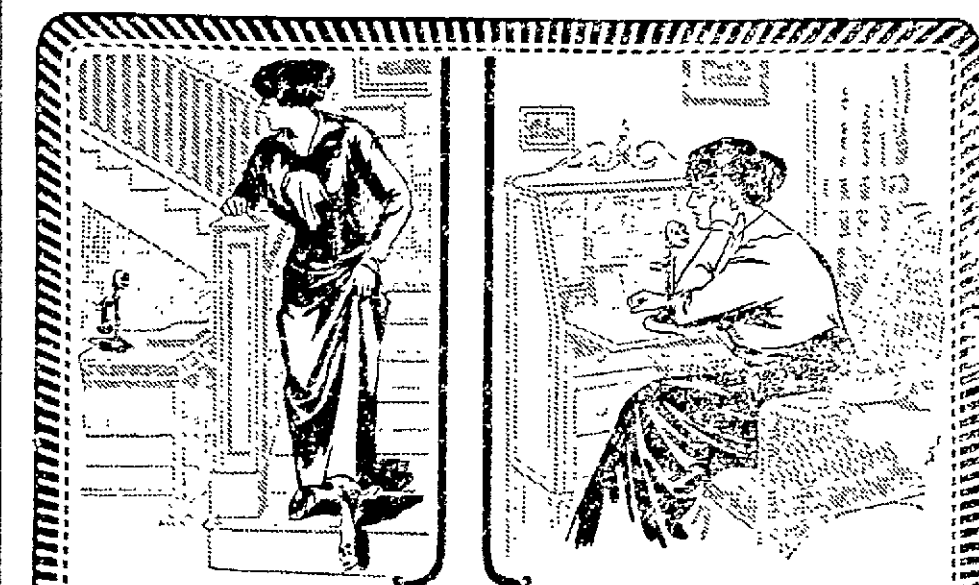
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Presented to the Council this 3rd day of December, 1911, and ordered to be advertised accordingly to law.

S. G. RICHMAN, Pres.

Attest: A. H. THOMAS, Sec'y.

Passed by Council in session this 1st day of April, 1912.

Attest: A. H. THOMAS, Sec'y.

Approved this 3rd day of April, 1912.

H. U. WALTER, Burgess.

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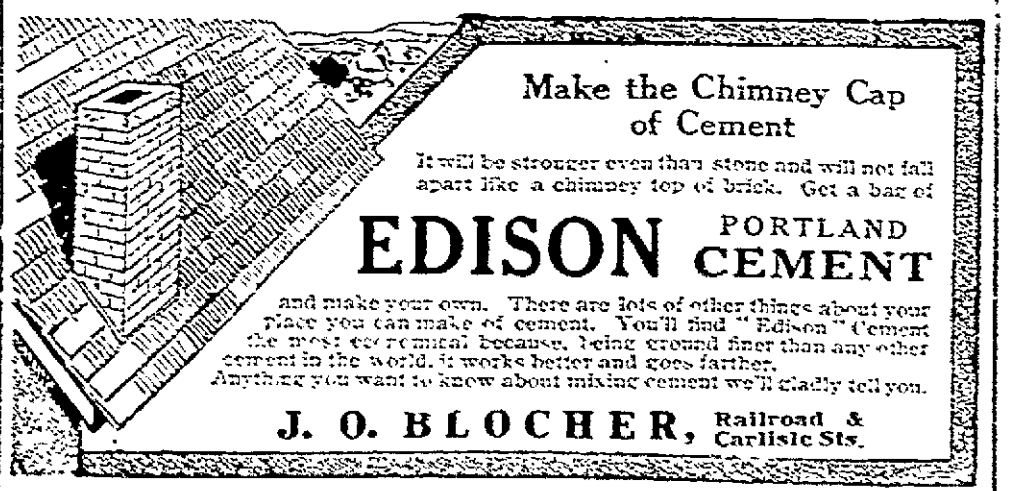
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A Practical Joke

It Turned Out Seriously In Two Respects

By ARTHUR D. PURDY

Sue Gwinne was known as the biggest little devil in B. We were all young then and were inclined to be frolicsome. I was, so far as I know, the only serious one in the lot. I suppose that this was the reason I fell in love with Sue. Opposites take to each other, and by good rights Sue should have returned my proffered affection, but she did not. At any rate, I couldn't be sure for more than half an hour at a time that she did. She would say something very sweet to me, raising me to the pinnacle of ecstasy, then cast me down by cold treatment.

It seemed to delight her to make me miserable, and why I couldn't understand. I wondered why she didn't play her pranks on the rest of the boys. I couldn't see that they had any especial advantages over me. Nor was I considered stupid. Why, then, had she picked me out to torment?

Sue had kept me in a chronic state of fret during the fall and winter, but when the season was about to close seemed inclined to let up somewhat in her endeavors to make me miserable. Our set agreed to end the winter's festivities by a fancy dress ball. Deciding upon or getting up a costume was entirely out of my line, for I had no inventive faculty in such matters. In my dilemma Sue kindly came to my assistance. "Leave it to me," she said, "and I guarantee that you shall have one of the most striking costumes at the ball."

This was not only a great relief to me, but set me up with regard to her preference for me. Had she not picked me out among all the fellows for an act of kindness? And when she told me that she would make my costume with her own hands I was proud as a peacock. All she wanted was a few measurements. As to material, she said it would cost little or nothing. I asked her what the costume was to be, but she wouldn't tell me, assuring me that I would be much pleased with it. I really cared very little what I represented, whether it was Louis XIV., Oliver Cromwell or George Washington. I was quite content to leave the whole matter to Sue, believing that she would provide a costume in keeping with my dignity.

The afternoon of the day on which the ball was to take place Sue telephoned me that I had better come to her house and try on my costume. I did so and met with a surprise. There was not the least doubt as to my causing a sensation in it or that it would be considered the most striking costume at the ball. I was to represent a bird of paradise.

On a light framework was the body of the bird. Its feathers made of tissue paper. Space was left in the center for my body, and stockings of a proper color were provided for my legs. The tail was a wonder. Beautiful streamers composed of many hues shot out in the rear, resembling either the tail of a bird of paradise or a rainbow, whichever the beholder chose.

I confess I was very crestfallen. The prospect of disporting myself in this gaudy apparel was especially disagreeable to me. I refused to use it. Sue had two or three of her girl friends with her, who at once manifested great astonishment that I did not appreciate it, and Sue herself looked very much put out that all her trouble should have been for nothing. Between them they succeeded in persuading me to put it on. I did so and was no sooner decorated with it than they all cried at once: "Splendid! Beautiful! It will be the finest thing in the room! What an original idea!"

Well, I simply yielded my consent to make a fool of myself, because four girls set themselves to the task of forcing me to do so. Each one of them promised to make it easy for me by their support, giving me the most of their time and dances at the ball, though how I was to sweep that three yards of tail around in a dance I did not know, and they failed to explain.

We are any of us liable to do something and afterward cannot understand how we were silly enough to have done it, and this was a case in point with me. I knew all the while that I should refuse to wear such a costume, but I didn't have the stamina in me to withstand these girls. Besides, I feared that if I failed to appear in it after the pains Sue had taken in designing and making it I would break the thread that bound her to me.

On the night of the ball I was obliged to carry my costume to the building where it took place and put it on there. Had I gone through the streets with it on I should have been mobbed. The moment I entered the ballroom everyone was fixed upon me. The girls who had persuaded me to wear the bird, stood by their promise to support me and all clustered about me, each claiming the honor of the first dance with me, though they all at last gave way to Sue.

I shall never forget that dance. Had I been the kind of a fellow to make a guy of myself in order to afford amusement for others I would have considered myself to be covered with glory. Being a quiet, serious, studious, dignified person I was in an agony. Every

turn I made in the dance, sweeping my blue feet of tail behind me, excited the laughter not only of those in the set with me, but every one in the room. The antics of the others to get out of the way of my tail feathers were about enough to set the whole company into a babel of hilarity. One couple after another stopped dancing to look at me till at last the set I was with was the only one remaining on the floor, the others forming a ring around us to laugh at me. I made a break to get away, but Sue caught me by the tail and held me long enough for others to interfere and put me back in my place.

And so I was forced to make a spectacle of myself for the others till the end of the dance. Sue endeavored to keep me steady by an occasional pressure of the hand or some other method of coddling me. But my mortification and anger were gradually getting the better of me, and, though I concealed it, I was vowing vengeance on her. It occurred to me that no girl would thus demean a man she felt any love for and that she had taken this means of showing her contempt for me.

By the time I had finished this first dance I was ready to leave the room, take off my bird costume and go away in anger. I think I should have done so had not Dan Wilson, an intimate man friend of mine, told me that but one course remained to me—to carry out the joke as though I enjoyed it. To give way to anger would only make the matter worse. I saw the sense of this advice and resolved to act upon it.

Having taken this resolution, I did the best I could to play my part, and it might have been after all quite a successful plot on the part of Sue and her abettors had not her recklessness spoiled it all. I gradually recovered my equanimity so far as to dissemble with her and conceal the bitterness I felt against her for leading me into such a trap. Possibly this encouraged her to go further. Having borrowed a match from the box of one of the men, she lighted the tissue paper on the tip end of my tail.

Very young persons are not overburdened with common sense, and as the little flame quickly spread it greatly amused the company. Feeling a warmth, I turned my head and, seeing the flame, my body, in an effort to put out the fire, giving a swish that fanned it into a conflagration.

The laughter of the lookers on suddenly gave way to anxiety, and several men rushed to my assistance. But by this time the flames had acquired considerable headway, and the task was a difficult one. My tail feathers were all aflame and those on my back were being ignited. A thrill of horror passed over those standing about me. The women, in their dress costumes, drew back, while the men pushed forward toward me. One, who was dressed as an Indian, took a blanket from his shoulders and wrapped it about me, while the others kept plucking the burning tail feathers. This saved me from death, but not from burning. My back and my legs were seriously scorched. I was led out of the hall, and I remember seeing among the throng of horror-stricken faces that of Sue Gwinne, the very picture of remorse and despair.

The incident finished the ball before it had well begun. I was told afterward that a few persons remained and attempted to carry on the dances, but the fact that I was known to have been badly burned took the spirit out of the affair, and before midnight all was dark which should have been a brilliantly illuminated scene of gayety.

It was a month before I left my room. I confess I acted very badly toward the perpetrators of what though intended for an innocent joke, very nearly became a frightful tragedy. Sue sent me word of her distress and begged that she might be permitted to do something for me. But, believing that her action toward me had been intended to be contemptuous, I did not find it in my heart to forgive her. I showed my spleen by making no reply to her message. She sent others to intercede for her, but I was adamant. It was not the burns that restrained my forgiveness, but the fact that my love—so I considered—had been spurned.

Finally my chum Dan Wilson, whose opinions had great weight with me, told me that while Sue's act was to be considered as foolish and reprehensible in the extreme, the whole affair had been conceived in a spirit of mischief, and had no bearing whatever on her feelings toward me, unless it might be construed to indicate that she was favorably inclined toward me. He represented that the poor girl was suffering intensely in consequence of her act and my treatment of her was little short of cruel.

So I wrote Sue that I had come to the conclusion she had meant neither harm nor disrespect in providing me with a bird of paradise suit and firm, the tail feathers, and begged that she would not distress herself further about it, especially since my wounds were nearly healed.

This brought her to see me. Kneeling beside me, she took my hand and wet it with her tears. I withdrew my hand for the purpose of affixing her face and made her to kiss away her tears.

Any contemptible course is good enough to bring about an understanding between lovers, and the ignition of the tail feathers of my bird of paradise suit caused fire of another kind to burn into flame in two hearts, mine and Sue's. For once, and for once only, I had the advantage of her. But even this occasion was short lived. We have been married but five years and already she has contrived to throw upon me the blame of that affair. She says that "had I not been such an uppish sort of a fellow there would have been no inducement for a girl to take the uppishness out of me."

London's Hot Baked Potatoes.

There are few colder places on a winter's night than the streets of London. Naturally anything warm is welcomed by wayfarers. Roasted chestnuts and hot pies stand high in public favor, but the cry of "Baked potatoes, all hot!" is peculiarly inviting. The simplest form of a potato can—really more like a box than a can—is of plain, unpainted tin, not unlike that used by the street pianist. In the central portion the potatoes are kept hot, while in compartments on each side salt and butter are kept. A large pepper box usually stands on the top of the can. A small valve lets out the steam, and its whistling guides the traveler in search of a hot potato. Street corners, where an omnibus stops or near places of amusement, are favorite spots for the vendors of this delicacy. The season lasts from the latter part of September until about the end of March. It is said that more than 3,000 people gain their livelihood in this way in the streets of London.

Musical Sound and the Ear.

The well trained ear of a musician can distinguish notes differing only one-hundredth part of a tone from another. Most people cannot perceive a difference of one-tenth of a tone, and a few can scarcely tell one tone from another. The cause of this curious disparity resides in slight differences in the structure of the cochlea, a wonderful piece of apparatus in the innermost part of the ear. It is a little body shaped like a snail shell and believed to be the part of the hearing apparatus which recognizes musical sounds. In its structure it closely resembles the strings of a piano and even has a damper to prevent the mixture of sounds quickly following one another. This little musical apparatus is set going by vibrations received from the middle ear or drum, and in some mysterious manner it sends these on to the brain through the auditory nerve in the form of musical sounds.

The Drummer's Secret.

Here is an old war story. As a regiment of soldiers was on the march to Gettysburg some of the soldiers stepped out of the ranks and confiscated a couple of geese, and one of the drummers unheeded his instrument and put the captured birds in the drum.

Shortly afterward the colonel rode along and, noticing the boy, said, sharply:

"Why don't you beat that drum?"

"Colonel," said the drummer mysteriously, "I want to speak to you."

The colonel drew still closer and, bending down his head, said, "Well, what have you to say?"

The drummer whispered, "Colonel, I've got a couple of geese in here."

The colonel straightened up and gravely said, "Well, if you're sick and can't play, you needn't."

The colonel had roast goose that night.

A Winter on a Mountain Top.

As one climbs up to the mountain top the danger from lightning increases rapidly, and, as a rule, the observatories located on the mountain tops are rather uncomfortable places of residence, as discovered by the scientific gentlemen who have had the experience of a winter on a mountain top. It is evident that ordinary lightning rods are entirely inadequate to carry off the enormous discharges of the mountain thunderstorms. There are several observatories on Mont Blanc, and at one of them, that of Janssen, there have been a number of bombardments, during which the interior of the place was filled with ribbon-like sheets of electricity and balls of fire which moved silently from point to point.—Exchange.

Breakfast in Norway.

Home brewed beer has of late years, says Harold Simpson in his "Ramblings in Norway," largely displaced spirits, as the national drink of the Norwegians. It is so popular that it is used even at breakfast to wash down the stock dish—fried pork smothered in onions. The first sight of a Norwegian breakfast table, adds the author, is apt to astound one. It is covered with small dishes, principally fish—fresh, fish, smoked fish, fish in tins, fish in miniature barrels. There are also cold meats and an endless variety of cheeses, of which the Norwegians are very fond.

Tears Not Idle.

"My doctor tells me a good cry is beneficial."

The second woman, opening her purse, displayed a first class return ticket to Europe.

"A good cry gained me this," she said.—New York Press.

True Love.

Tom—But perhaps she doesn't love you. Jack—Oh, yes, she does! Tom—How do you know? Jack—When I told her that I had no money to get married on she offered to borrow some from her father.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

The Deserting Son.

"Our boy has left us," wept the mother as their only son waved goodbye from the car window.

"Yes," said the old man, whom the boy had just touched for a heavy loan, "but he hasn't left us much."—Detroit News.

It Takes a Long Time.

"I do not think people should get married until they are thoroughly acquainted with each other."

"What would you do—abolish matrimony?"—Judge.

A life in continual need is half death.—German Proverb.

NEWSPAPERARCHIVE

Does Whitewashing Benefit Trees.

Prof. H. A. Surface, State Zoologist of Pennsylvania, Harrisburg, receives many inquiries on the subject of whitewashing trees, and takes this occasion to issue a general reply on the subject which is as follows:

"As far as the destruction of pests is concerned there is a slight benefit from whitewashing the trunks of trees. However, this does not kill the pests that are not touched by the white wash, and thus those on the branches above the whitewashed area are unfettered. Also, it does not kill the borers that are within the trees, although if applied regularly as a good thing can, about the middle of June, July and August each year, it will keep the borers out.

"From the standpoint of appearance it is not commendable, as the trees in their natural condition and beauty are much more attractive than those that are whitewashed. Persons who love Nature are outraged in their finer sensibilities upon seeing natural objects like stones and trees whitewashed, painted or otherwise discolored.

"Whitewashing gives a little benefit. It is certain that it pays far better to boil a little sulfur with the lime, and instead of making a regular white wash, make the lime-sulfur solution with the sediment present, and apply this either with a brush or with a spray pump. It is not troublesome to boil some sulfur with the lime, and thus make the material an undoubted insecticide and fungicide. This can be applied with a brush just as the whitewash is applied, and it will be far more effective in destroying insects and signs of fungus diseases, and will be far better for the trees."

Federal Bulletin Service.

Are you setting out a lawn, desirous of learning the most approved method of making bread, or interested in the economical use of meats in the home? If so, write to the division of publications, department of agriculture, for this branch of the government service is in the business of keeping the people of the country informed on the numerous matters that have to do with housekeeping and farming.

Nothing in these lines seems beyond the range of its comprehensive knowledge. It is as ready to teach whitewashing, how to know the common birds and the benefits of good roads by mail as it is to tell about canning vegetables, poultry management and forestry. Last year it sent out over 200,000 bulletins on cheeses, with the use of concrete on the farm and grape propagation running a close second.

The editor and chief of this publication work is Joseph A. Arnold, and with the assistance of an editorial staff of eight and 190 employees, there is turned out from the division every year an amount of bulletins, pamphlets, books and letters that is imposing.

It is 23 years now since the first Farmer's Bulletin was issued by the department of agriculture and the popularity of the series has proved the need of these brief, inexpensive publications which convey practical information in plain, every day English. While the growth of the series was slow at first, it has reached a total of 500 different subjects with a total output of over 98,000,000 bulletins.

Last year nearly 11,000,000 of these bulletins were sent out, to housewives and farmers in all parts of the country, with an additional demand for 5,000,000 which the department did not have the funds to supply. In all, the division distributed nearly 35,000,000 reports and documents on over 2000 different subjects, which forms an interesting index to the increasing desires of the American farmer for expert knowledge and intelligent instruction.

Recently the members of Congress have awakened to the value of this form of free instruction which the government is only too ready to impart, and last year, for the first time in the history of the department, every senator, representative and delegate, whether from rural or urban district, utilized in whole or in part his allotment of Farmer's Bulletins.

Success of Postal Savings System.

Such has been the success of the postal savings system in this country since its inauguration two years ago, that the government has now decided to extend the service, and by the end of the next half year it will be possible to deposit money with the United States wherever the American flag waves. The operation of the system in Porto Rico has already been authorized and by the first of July 15 first class postoffices will open their windows for the purchase of postal certificates on the island.

At present there is over \$35,000,000 deposited with the government through the postal banks and by Dec. 31, the postal authorities estimate that over \$50,000,000 will be reached. About 250,000 separate deposits have been placed in the 12,823 postoffices, the average amount in each case being \$24.52.

Comparatively little money placed in the postal savings banks has been withdrawn from private banks. The experience of the past two years has shown that the system has been drawing from various hiding places large sums of money placed there either through lack of confidence in the regular banks or because little encouragement is given to small savings accounts. The system has proved especially valuable in communities lacking savings banks and in those having a large foreign population. It has fully met the expectation that many of the alien residents would allow their savings to remain in this country in the safe-keeping of the government instead of sending them abroad for deposit.

In comparison with the postal savings system of the British government, which was the original system, the American plan of operation has enjoyed an advantage. The idea of using the machinery of the postal service for postal savings was conceived

in 1897 by an Englishman, who advised the use of money orders as a means for making deposits. The idea was not taken hold of with any great degree of enthusiasm until 1861, when Gladstone saw its possibilities and devised the system now used by nearly 40 other countries in the world.

Each one of these 40 systems, many of which have grown to be of huge size, has been based on the banking system of pass books. With the exception of the United States, not one has devised a plan whereby the central office where the pass book is used can be done away with, and the result is that in each of these countries the central office has grown to be of gigantic size demanding the employment of thousands of bookkeepers. In England the employment of such a clerical staff has cost so much that the department has been conducted at a loss for several years.

The elimination of the pass book and the substitute certificates of deposit that are neither negotiable nor transferable, and easily replaced in case of loss, has saved the American government nearly \$1,000,000 a year and has done away with the employment of at least 2000 bookkeepers.

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CHARTER NOTICE.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CHARTER

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF

ADAMS COUNTY.

Notice is hereby given that an application will

be made to the said Court on MONDAY, the 19th

day of MAY, 1913, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., under

the Act to provide for the incorporation and

regulation of certain corporations, approved

April 23rd, 1874 and its supplements by C. W.

Ploutz, B. F. Lightner, Otis Herter, H. W.

Weaver, M. F. Williams, Sr. and Levi E. Buch-

man for the charter of an intended corporation to

be called "The Brethren Cemetery Association

for Ploutz's Church," the character and object

of which is to provide, own and maintain a

ground for the Christian burial of the dead, and

regulating the use of the same under properly

adopted rules and regulations, and for these

purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights,

benefits and privileges conferred by the said Act

and its supplements.

The proposed charter is now on file in the

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